

## Foreign Institution Statement on Addressing Allegations of Research Misconduct Involving PHS-Funded Research or Activities

<u>UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI TRENTO</u> has incorporated into its policies and procedures the following approach for addressing allegations of research misconduct when PHS funds are involved.

- 1. <u>UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI TRENTO</u> will designate an official ("Institutional Certifying Official") to:
- Receive allegations of research misconduct involving PHS funds;
- Develop procedures to enable institutional members or others to make an allegation of research misconduct involving PHS funds; and
- Notify the U.S. Office of Research Integrity (ORI) when an allegation of research misconduct involving PHS funds is received. Phone: (240) 453-8800. E-mail: askORI@hhs.gov.
- 2. <u>UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI TRENTO</u> will work with ORI or another appropriate HHS office to develop and implement a process for responding to research misconduct allegations that is consistent with U.S. Federal regulation, <u>42 CFR Part 93.</u>
- 3. <u>UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI TRENTO</u>, upon request, will submit reports (in English) to ORI that describe the process the institution followed in conducting the investigation, the evidence on which the conclusions of the investigation are based, and if a finding of research misconduct is made, the administrative actions that are taken against the respondent.
- 4. <u>UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI TRENTO</u> will inform institutional members about who the Institutional Certifying Official is, what that person does, and how to make an allegation of research misconduct involving PHS-supported research. This information also will be posted on the institution's website.
- 5. <u>UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI TRENTO</u> certifies that this statement will be a permanent amendment to the institution's policies and procedures for responding to allegations of research misconduct.
- 6. <u>UNIVERSITA' DEGLI STUDI DI TRENTO</u> will submit the "Annual Report on Possible Research Misconduct" (Form PHS 6349) to ORI by April 30 of each year, via ORI's secure online submission platform, at: <a href="https://ori.hhs.gov/arprm/">https://ori.hhs.gov/arprm/</a>.

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